

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

Julia Aguirre Rodriguez

Case # 2:21-cv-00437

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

Merrick Garland, et al.,

Defendant(s).

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

Andres Ortiz, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Andres Ortiz Law

(firm name)

with offices at 320 Pine Ave., Suite 608,
(street address)

Long Beach, California, 90802,
(city) (state) (zip code)

213-298-1078, andres.ortiz@andresortizlaw.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

Julia Aguirre Rodriguez to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

3. That since December 1, 2011, Petitioner has been and presently is a
 (date)
 member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of California
 (state)
 where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or
 from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular
 possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying
 the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
 standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
Central District of California	12/1/11	N/A
Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals	2013	
Southern District of California	2017	
Second Circuit Court of Appeals	2018	
Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals	2019	

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

(None)

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

American Immigration Lawyers Association

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
None			Denied
			Denied
			Denied
			Denied
			Denied

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)


9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.


1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
 2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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 4 STATE OF California }
 5 COUNTY OF Los Angeles }

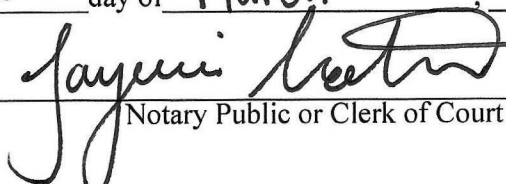

 Petitioner's signature

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 7 Andres Ortiz, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
 8 That the foregoing statements are true.

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 10 Subscribed and sworn to before me this


 Petitioner's signature

11 the 12 day of March, 2021.

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 13 Notary Public or Clerk of Court

See attachment

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 16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO**
 17 **THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

18 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
 19 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Patrick Valdez,
 20 (name of local counsel)
 21 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
 22 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
 23 said designated Nevada counsel is:

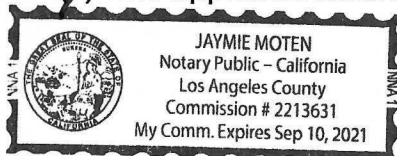
24 10305 Hawthorne Blvd.
 25 (street address)
 26 Inglewood, California, 90304
 27 (city) (state) (zip code)
 28 (310) 330-0511, patrick@valdez-law.com
 (area code + telephone number) (Email address)

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California
County of Los Angeles

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 12
day of March, 2021, by Andres Ortiz

proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the
person(s) who appeared before me.



(Seal)

Signature

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By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations binding on all of us.

APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL

The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Patrick Valdez as
(name of local counsel)
his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

Julia Aguirre
(party's signature)

Julia Aguirre
(type or print party name, title)

(party's signature)

(type or print party name, title)

CONSENT OF DESIGNEE

The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

[Signature]

Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

11005
Bar number

patrick@valdez-law.com
Email address

APPROVED:

DATED this 20th day of April, 2021.

[Signature]
RICHARD E. BOWLER, II
United States District Judge



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CERTIFICATE OF STANDING

March 12, 2021

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that according to the records of the State Bar, ANDRES JAMES ORTIZ, #279239 was admitted to the practice of law in this state by the Supreme Court of California on December 1, 2011 and has been since that date, and is at date hereof, an ACTIVE licensee of the State Bar of California; and that no recommendation for discipline for professional or other misconduct has ever been made by the Board of Trustees or a Disciplinary Board to the Supreme Court of the State of California.

THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Dina DiLoreto", written over a horizontal line.

Dina DiLoreto
Custodian of Records